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NOTES

We are glad to insert the following notice of the reports of the National Educational Association:

NATIONAL EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION

A GREAT REPORT

Attention is called to the *Report of the Special Committee of Investigation on Salaries, Tenure, and Pensions of Public School Teachers in the United States*.

This committee, of which President Carroll D. Wright, former U. S. Commissioner of Labor, was chairman, with the assistance of expert statisticians of the U. S. Bureau of Labor, has compiled a report of great value to teachers and school officers, in which the existing facts concerning the compensation of teachers throughout the country are for the first time adequately presented.

The report opens with a series of discussions by the committee, filling 185 pages on the following topics, illustrated by 120 pages of analytical tables, viz.

Salaries of Teachers in Cities and Towns of 8,000 Population or Over (divided by size into nine classes).

Salaries summarized by States.

Sex of Teachers in High and Elementary Schools.

Supervisors and Special Teachers.

Salary Schedules in Cities and Towns of 8,000 Population or Over.

Salaries of Teachers in Typical Towns of Less than 8,000 Population.

Salaries of Teachers in Typical Ungraded Rural Schools in Thirty States.

Funds for Payment of Teachers' Salaries.

Minimum Salary Laws in Various States.

Earnings in Teaching and Other Occupations.

Purchasing Power of Salaries in Different Localities.

Tenure of Office of Teachers.

Pensions of Teachers.

Following these discussions are 273 pages of statistical tables covering the entire field of teachers' salaries in 492 (or 90 per cent.) of the 547 cities and towns in the United States, of 8,000 or more inhabitants. These tables are divided into the following classes, with minute subdivisions under each, as follows:

List of Cities and Towns Represented, Classified by States.

Table I. Number and Minimum, Maximum, and Average Yearly Salaries of Principals and Teachers in High and Elementary Schools and Kindergartens.